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### HUSTONVILLE, LINCOLN COUNTY.

J. P. Bailey, of Stanford, cheered by the surroundings of his youth, unbent his dignity like a pop of old, veiled his hoary locks for a time and in company with a blooming young lady, adventured in the mazy dance Thursday night. The old gentleman sustained no injury so far as can be earned, but returned to his musty tomes with perfect resignation.

G. M. Givens, who superintended the preparation of the grave at McCormack's Church on Saturday, states that the ground was so completely saturated with water as to make it difficult to complete the work. Having finished the vault, they were compelled to dig a reservoir beneath it to prevent the water from rising in the outer case until the coffin could be deposited.

Died, on Thursday night, the little child of G. F. Peacock, aged only a few days. On Friday at 6 o'clock P. M., Matthew Speed Peyton, aged 71 years. Notwithstanding he attained to an advanced age, Mr. Peyton was from childhood of a delicate constitution. His last illness was protracted and the termination seemed to be simply a wearing out of the system.

There is some surprise on the part of the young that Stanford—with four honorable exceptions—was unrepresented here on Thursday night. There was a large company present and they seemed to have enjoyed the evening highly. The supper is said to have been excellent, an abundance and the masquerade afforded a great deal of amusement. A young lady who was present furnished from memory a partial list of the younger portion of the assembly, but declares that a registry of the older spectators and participants would be mistaken for a census of two or three counties.

Ruth Depauw, Danville, Woman in White; Bertie Newlin, Danville, Night; Lizzie Twidwell, Aurora, Id., Fwiddell, Charming Little Flower girl; Belle Bogle, Queen of Night; Sallie Cook and Beatie Dye, Fairy Queens; Helen Reid, Highland Mary; Mauda Dye, Spring; Julia Bradley, Spanish Lady; Jessie Cook, Fairy; Belle Cook, Mexican Girl; Lizzie Dye, Japanese Lady; Jennie Reid, Shepherdess; Emma Perkins, Summer; Eva Bradley, Stanford Flower Girl; Judie Weatherford, Peasant Girl; Anna Reid, Bo Peep; Lou Hocker, Red Riding Hood; Lena Williams, Spring; Lena Goode, Naid Queen; Chloe Logan, Butterfly; Hettie Goode, Minerva; Sallie Jenkins, Nun. The gentlemen maskers were: D. Taylor, Representative from Shadytown; George Weatherford, Hamlet; June Hocker, Napoleon; Ernest Woods, Wild Irishman; Bub Hocker and Wolford Dye, Duder; Will Hocker and Lee Reid, Sailor Boys; Jas. Cook and Shack Huffman, Oscar Wilde; Will West, Cadet; Joe Page, Highland Laddie; Will Huffman, Chinaman; Ross and McAfee, Uncle Sambo and Aunt Dinah; G. F. Peacock, German Professor; Doc Dye, Sailor Boy; June Reid, Turk; Dave Allen, Mephistopheles; Jim Reid, Joseph Sold; George Dye, Fashionable Belle; Will Reid, Skeleton; Henry Dye, Faust; Mat Thompson, Apollo; Jno. Burgin, Secretary L. & I. Society. The following young men from Danville took part: Will Robinson, Chesterfield; Lucien Logan, Uncle Remus; Little Red Steer; Stanley Archibald, Aesthetic Young Man; Hugh Craft, Tom Thumb; Jim Guest, Stargazer; Will Davis, Vick's Floral Guide. The following constituted the "Mulligan Guard": W. W. Wiseman, Basil Guest, Will Moore, A. Hunderly, Will Lambert, Sam Harlan, George Evans, Lud Evans.

Those not masked were: Misses Gena and Sophie Bright, Danville; Mattie Coffey, Liberty; Bettie Jenkins, Cora Sandig, T. Logan, Mary Thompson, Alice Jones, Mollie Mounce, Lizzie Page, Bettie Logan, Nannie Brown, Lincoln. Dr. Jno. Bogle, Danville; Carroll Reid, James Allen, Farris Sandig, Mat Sandig, Calvin Carpenter, Will Weatherford, Buck Weatherford, Frank Lee, Sam Logan, Lincoln.

A ground-hog confined in the Zoological Garden at Baltimore came out of his hole on February 2. This was the first seen of him since he went into winter quarters, October 20. The keeper placed some corn near the hole on February 1, but this did not tempt him. He was closely watched, and at 11:30 on the following day was seen to come slowly crawling out. After looking around for a little while he went to the corn and commenced eating. A beam of sunlight fell slantingly through the roof of the inclosure, and in moving about the ground-hog crossed it. He saw his shadow, and immediately darted into his hole. The garden-keeper will watch for future movements. The ground-hog has six weeks to stay in the ground, and on March 21 the time will be up for another appearance.

Prompt relief in sick headache, dizziness, nausea, constipation, pain in the side, etc. guaranteed to those using Carter's Little Liver Pills. One pill a dose. 25c.

### GARRARD COUNTY DEPARTMENT

Lancaster.

Rollies Bowman, of Richmond, is attending Circuit Court and is representing Madison creditors in the J. B. Kerby & Co. case.

W. S. Beazley sold a fine coach horse to Mr. Keith, at Paine's Station, this week. Pony considered it a fine animal and received a good price for it.

Circuit Court will adjourn next Saturday. The Grand Jury has found about 30 indictments, the majority of which are for small offences. Mark May was sent to the penitentiary for two years for horse stealing.

The youngest child of David Thompson, a bright little girl twelve years of age, died Thursday night after an illness of two weeks. The family and friends have the heart felt sympathy of our community in their bereavement. The remains were interred in Mt. Vernon cemetery Saturday.

Stepping into Burnside's drug store one afternoon last week we accidentally overheard a conversation between a number of our prominent farmers who were seated around the store discussing the propriety of organizing an "Agricultural Club." From general and special remarks we obtained enough information to announce that such an organization will be perfected at an early date. The membership will be limited and only those will be admitted who are known to entertain common sense views on specialties in stock raising and farming. Before a petitioner is accepted by the order he must answer a certain number of questions as a test of his qualifications. As far as we could ascertain the interrogations will relate to peculiar views entertained by individual members and distinguished farmers in the county. We are not at liberty to publish all we heard with reference to what a member may expect after initiation; suffice it to say the proceedings will be of such a nature as to insure prompt attendance at every meeting, and the exercises will be so varied and interesting as to command the undivided attention of all present. By special request we are allowed the privilege of publishing a few of the most important questions that will be propounded and the views elicited by the examination will furnish sufficient material to judge of a candidate's qualifications. Those who would aspire to membership would do well to ponder seriously over the questions we give below.

1. Do you concur with Joe Robinson in the belief that the cheapest and best way to dispose of horse bones upon the land is to bury them several feet underground? And do you believe that such a procedure will enrich the soil by decomposition?

2. Do you hold to the belief with George Evans that when a cow loses its "cut" that she should have a new one? What material would you suggest?

3. Do you think John Gill is right in ordering all his grain sown and harvested and his meat killed and salted by the light and dark of the moon?

4. Would you follow the example of Tyne Cooke and leave the clods on your wheat ground to be broken up by the freezing and thawing process?

5. Would you follow the practice adopted by Jesse Doty for cutting off sheep tails, which consists in grabbing the tails in the left hand, as the animal leaps over a fence, and cutting them off with a knife in the right hand? How much bone would follow off after such an operation?

6. Do you believe that wheat sown broadcast with the hand, would produce more than if drilled?

7. Do you raise Jerseys?

These are a few of the number of questions that will be propounded to the candidate for consideration and the casual observer will notice that they involve much material for discussion. The Club will enter upon its brilliant career with Col. J. H. Bruce, Major Jas. A. Burnside, Jno. S. Gill, Joseph Robinson, Joel Walker, W. Burnside and Thos. Anderson as charter members and with such an array of substantial citizens and successful farmers the organization is destined to be of immense benefit socially and otherwise. Discussions upon the most important topics concerning the farm will be held each meeting and each member will be expected to proclaim his views without reservation. From time to time prominent men will be invited to advise the Club upon suitable subjects for discussion. The first meeting will be held at Masonic Hall, where permanent arrangements will be made for meeting, &c. At the opening John S. Gill will deliver an address upon the "Best way to sow grain." The new club has our best wishes for its success and may it live long and prove of practical benefit to the entire county.

"What in thunder made you take my exchanges out of this room?" exclaimed an editor in wrath, addressing the guttapercha colored gentleman whose duty it was to sweep the "santum" floor.

"What does yer mean, dem newspapers?"

"Yes, Why the deuce did you take 'em away?"

"I didn't know yer wanted 'em boss. I seed yer cuttin' 'em all ter pieces wid a par o' scissors yiste'day. Thought yer jis wanted 'em to whittle on, so I tuck 'em away an' fotch yer some ole paper. Wife wants de new paper ter paste on de wall, sah."—[Ark. Traveler.

### DANVILLE, BOYLE COUNTY.

Joe Haas who is one of the most stirring business men in Boyle county, has about \$4,000 worth of mink, skunk and coon skins undraped of.

Mr. Charles H. Lucas, formerly of this place, now of Cincinnati, and an appreciative subscriber and reader of the INTERIOR JOURNAL, was here last week greeting old friends.

Mrs. L. C. Read, of Louisville, late candidate for State Librarian, is quite sick at the residence of her friend, Miss Lizzie Irvine. She has been confined to her bed since Thursday.

Twenty-one shares of Central National Bank stock belonging to the estate of the late R. W. Graham will be sold publicly next Monday in front of the courthouse. Stock of this bank sold in May last at \$200.

The railroad and express companies are not encouraging the shipment of freight this (Monday) morning in the direction of the flooded districts. They explain the uncertainty of prompt arrivals and let the shipper take the risk.

Last Friday was the last day for suing in our Circuit Court, which commences on Monday the 18th inst. There are thirty appearances, among them the case of F. M. Taylor vs. H. T. Crowder, an important case which is here by change of venue from Marion county.

Mr. John Jett, of the firm of Moss & Jett, of Kansas City, Mo., is here, detained by the high water which covers some of the railroads over which he desires to travel home. Mr. Jett is a native of this county and is an enterprising and energetic young man. His house carries on a flourishing grocery business.

Messrs. George Metcalf, W. K. Hobbs and H. W. French were at Lancaster Friday as witnesses for the prosecution in the case against Malcom Ray, charged with horse stealing. Ray took the horse, whether feloniously or not, in Garrard county last September and brought it here and tried openly to dispose of it. His conduct at the time impressed a number of persons who saw him with the opinion that he was wrong in the upper story.

The "hot water" mania which we knew would certainly rage here, is at last upon us, ladies so far being the principal victims. In case some of your readers may not "tumble" at once "to the racket" the following explanation is submitted. Hot water is the latest panacea for all human ills, it is supposed to cure the sick and make the well feel from 99 to 100 per cent. better than they would without it. The first thing the victim does after rising in the morning is to call for a spoon and a cup of boiling hot water and then as soon as it can be taken without literally scalding the mouth and throat to sip it by the spoonful until it is all gone. The dose is repeated by some persons twice and by others thrice per day. A recent medical writer in speaking of the habit says that "the human stomach can endure so much is a proof of the vitality of the race."

Three brothers, Frank, Jack and William Flynn, while riding through the streets of Hot Springs Ark., were fired upon by seven men armed with shot-guns and Winchester rifles. The assaulting party emerged from a saloon and their attack was unexpected. One of the Flynns was killed, and the other two mortally wounded. The driver of the carriage was also mortally wounded, and so was a bystander named Hargrave. Another bystander named Craig was shot in the back, but not fatally.

The whisky sold by Louisville dealers in 1883 amounted to 145,000 barrels, or 6,100,000 gallons, and was worth \$6,900,000.

PANIC IN A MENAGERIE.—A lion-tamer at a menagerie in England, while going from den to den as usual, was about to enter the cage containing a group of young lions, when one of them sprang past him, and alighted on the ground in the midst of the people. The latter rushed for the street, and a panic ensued. Meanwhile the young lion, himself badly frightened, ran round and among the spectators, pursued by the attendants of the menagerie, who finally captured him in an empty barrel. In the excitement a woman was forced against a cage containing a large, full-grown lioness, which extended its paw beneath the bars of the cage and clutched at the woman's head, inflicting serious wounds.

WRITING NAMES ON HATBANDS.—The romantic experience of Miss Beach, the young lady of Bethel, Conn., who wrote her name on the band of a hat, and finally married the New Orleans gentleman into whose hands it fell, has had an unexpected sequel. Of course the other girls in the shop did the same thing, and now a western firm has refused a consignment of hats sent on their order, because so many of them have young ladies' names written inside the bands. Several married men who, unobserving bought hat so marked, had the very foul fiend's own taste about the matter, and the locality was all broken up for a while.

When a woman is making bread, she may be said to be in the very flower of her usefulness.

The Mormons are said to number 127,294. They have increased over 23,000 during the past year.

### LEGISLATIVE DOINGS.

Mr. Cook presented a bill for the benefit of J. B. Fish, of Rockcastle.

Miss Clara Whitehead, a worthy lady of Rockcastle county, received the republican vote for Librarian.

A bill was passed by the House fixing the fees of witnesses in Magistrate's courts at fifty cents per day.

The House passed a bill appropriating \$25,000 for the relief of sufferers from the flood in the Commonwealth.

Bills to prohibit the sale of liquors of any kind within three miles of Bush Grove and Shady Grove churches in Casey county, were presented by Mr. Simpson.

Mr. Simpson offered a bill to incorporate Mr. Zimmerman's town of Yosemite, in Casey county and another bill was presented to incorporate Pittsburg in Laurel county.

The caucus to nominate a warden for the penitentiary adjourned till next Friday night without doing anything. An effort will be made to nominate a candidate for Public Printer Wednesday night.

An act to change the boundary line between Laurel and Rockcastle counties was passed by the House. It repeals an act made in 1871 and makes Rockcastle river at Livingston the line, as it was formerly.

The House adopted a resolution calling upon the Railroad Commissioners to furnish an estimate of the cost of fencing all lines of railroads within the State, and of the value of stock killed by railroad trains during the year 1883.

Considering that the Legislature is doing next to nothing, it would seem that 2 clerks would easily keep up with the business, but they don't and a resolution appointing a second assistant was adopted, Green R. Keller, of the Carlisle Manufactory, was given the position.

### Mardi Gras.

The Ohio & Mississippi Railway will sell round trip tickets at low excursion rates to New Orleans, on account of the Carnival. Sale beginning Feb. 20th and continuing until the 24th. Tickets will be good 5 days going and returning until March 20th. The Carnival this year will close with the usual parade and festivities on Tuesday, Feb. 26th. The O. & M. R. runs a thro' sleeper from Cincinnati to New Orleans, via Odessa, daily. For tickets and further particulars, inquire of agents at that line.

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## DISSOLUTION.

The partnership of Bruce, Warren & Co. has been dissolved by mutual consent, Geo. H. Bruce & Co. buying the Clothing and A. A. Warren the Grocery Department. A. A. WARREN will meet anybody's prices and GEO. H. BRUCE & Co. especially will cut prices on some lines to reduce stock for Spring purchases.

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those who would fain govern the weather in sad perplexity in the river towns. Continued warm, wet weather secures stagnation; but extreme cold, while it may subside the waters to subside, will create a necessity for coal, which cannot be met. Therefore, perhaps, let the weather alone.

with their kind in the out-  
 world. When I think of these things,  
 to be in India again to proclaim a  
 different gospel from what I preached  
 was a joy.  
 I thought the audience was rather thin,  
 but a blessed meeting. I think the  
 Gentlemen of the "Lyons Hall"

and costly editions of the scriptures in careful preservation. The "Bishops' Bible" in "black letter" type, printed in 1639 is the "Breeches Bible," of about the same antiquity, named thus from "springs" in 3:7, being translated by the homilists. At night, the house packed, with

came over to Bexley Monday and  
the guests of our dear friends, the Lim-  
of Kent Villas, holding two services  
Monday and two at Erith, four miles  
yesterday and last night. To-night  
more in Bexley Heath and then back  
on to-morrow. All in the LORD  
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PERSONAL.

MISS KITTIE AND ELIZA ROUT are visiting in Boyle county.  
REV. J. M. BRUCE has gone to visit relatives near Sedalia, Mo.  
MRS. LIZZIE DILLON, of Lancaster, is the guest of Mrs. M. G. Nevius.  
MISS PANTHEA MCKINNEY has gone to visit Mr. Wm. Royston in Garrard.  
MR. SMITH BAUGHMAN is confined to his bed with inflammatory rheumatism.  
MRS. COL. ALLEN, of Farmdale, has been visiting her daughter at the College.  
MISS LUCY BURTON has returned from a week's visit to friends in the West End.  
MR. JAMES CROW, one of our oldest and worthiest citizens, is in a precarious condition.  
MISS KATE BLAIN and Sallie Hawkins have gone to Knoxville to visit Mrs. Bettie Hall.

LOCAL MATTERS.

New candies at Metcalf & Owsley's.  
DR. J. G. CRIPPER has a new boy at his house.  
THE Rink will close next Friday night for a season.  
It is all over town now, very decidedly. What? Mud!  
WANTED.—500 bushels of Irish potatoes Bright & Curran.  
THIRTEEN pounds of good New Orleans sugar for \$1 at T. R. Walton's.  
COME and see our display of agricultural implements when in town. Bright & Curran.  
If you want to see something nice and pretty in fancy candies just step in at T. R. Walton's.

THE Somerset Republican has this item: Born, on the 5th inst., to the wife of W. C. Owens, a boy. Weight 12 pounds. The mother was formerly Miss Hicks.

H. C. RUFLEY is beginning to receive his Spring stock of saddles, of which he will have a larger and better stock than ever. Call early and make a selection.

THE firm of Bruce, Warren & Co., has dissolved. Mr. A. A. Warren having bought out the grocery department and Messrs. Geo. H. Bruce & Co., the clothing. Good luck to both firms.

SUNDAY'S Courier Journal contained a flattering call on Col. Sam M. Burdett to become a candidate for Congress in this district signed by some 50 leading democrats of Rockcastle.

SHERIFF McNEEVE arrested John Carter yesterday for obtaining money under false pretenses from Mrs. Wheeler and a negro, Lewis Lynn, for carrying concealed weapons. The former will be tried tomorrow and the negro carries in jail.

ALL persons indebted to the estate of M. J. Harris, decd., who do not settle by the 15th day of next March will have to pay the cost of a law suit. I need the money to pay debts of this estate and I am tired of dunning you. This is the last notice I intend to give any one. M. J. Harris Admr.

JOHN NEWLAND did not have as much trouble in making his calling and election sure as Joe Blackburn did. The City Council unanimously elected him marshal on the first ballot, hardly giving his competitor, Mr. Pendleton, a consideration. John makes a good officer and the compliment was just and proper.

WAYNE county is in as good financial condition as any county in the State. The affairs are economically conducted, the expense for running them being about one-half of what it costs this county. The total bonded indebtedness is but \$2,500 and there are funds on hand more than sufficient to meet them when they become due. The County Judge and Attorney get \$350 each. We get these figures from the list of claims furnished by County Clerk I. N. Shepperd.

KILLED BY THE CARS.—George W. Lin genfelter, formerly of this county, was killed at the Short Line Junction last week where he was acting as watchman. The Post says: He attempted to board a passing switch engine, but missed his footing and fell under the wheels. His right leg was crushed below the knee and his left foot was ground off. Amputation was found necessary but he died shortly after the operation. He was 67 years old and leaves a wife and children, dependent upon him for support.

ACCORDING to the report of the State Railroad Commission, a copy of which has just been received, there are 1,937 miles of railroads in the State. Lincoln county has 24 miles of the Cincinnati Southern, 5 of the Kentucky Central, 22 1/2 of the Louisville & Nashville and about 5 of the Cincinnati, Green River & Nashville, making 56 1/2 miles in all. During the year 79 people were killed and 323 wounded by railroad accidents. The report is a very voluminous concern and contains a great deal of matter that is hardly worth the trouble and expense of its publication.

REX PITMAN died in the Boyle county poor-house last week.

NICE new candies, oranges, lemons, bananas, &c., at T. R. Walton's.

A NICE house and lot for sale or rent in Stanford, Ky. Apply to Mr. C. A. Griggs.

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JOE ANDERSON, late barber at Williamsburg, was shot and killed on Sunday evening at Jellico by some man, name unknown, with whom he had an altercation on the station platform.

WHILE riding on his farm a few days ago, Mr. S. H. Baughman's horse began to mire and in the effort to regain himself, threw Mr. B. off and his feet becoming entangled in the stirrups, he was badly hurt in one of his knees and otherwise.

AN editor should have a heart of steel, else he will be coaxed out of publishing every sensation story. For the first time in a month we got hold of one this week, but yielded to the entreaties of those concerned and suppressed the racist little paragraph imaginable.

No mail agent on the train again last Friday. There was a slide and a transfer and as the mail agents have to run through from Louisville to Knoxville there was no agent to return with the train. The officials should arrange it so the agents' trips are the same as the conductors'.

HARRIS & MURPHY have for sale the best yeast in the world, with directions for using it. We also keep fresh bread, cakes, home-made candies and all kinds of fruits and confectioneries. We do our own baking and will sell 6 lb. loaf bread for 25c to regular customers. We do not think our bread can be beaten anywhere. Call and see for yourself.

We have never since going into business heard of so many complaints about the carelessness of mail agents. Mr. S. G. Cun diff, Somerset, writes us that he gets his paper very irregularly. Mr. T. H. Smith, at Clarksville, Tenn., says he had had but three copies this year. Mr. R. E. Hall, Levee, Ky., says he often fails to get it than it reaches him, and so on almost without end. We believe that the whole fault lies in the incompetency of the men employed, who get positions, not on account of merit and fitness, but because they have done some party work, the dirtier perhaps the better. We will hail with delight the accession of the democracy to power, if for no other reason than to see these worthless rascals put back on their own limited resources.

THE effort to raise sufficient stock for the Building Association is meeting with gratifying success, nearly 300 shares of \$100 being already subscribed. That the matter may be perfectly understood we extract a few items from the proposed charter. The object, as before stated, is to enable owners of shares of stock to aggregate their weekly savings into a common fund and to loan the same at interest; to enable its shareholders to obtain loans of money upon mortgage without being required to give personal security and to enable the Association to erect for its shareholders comfortable and healthful homes and to permit them to pay for same in weekly installments. On a share of \$100 a weekly payment of only 25 cents will be required and the stock will be exempt from execution except to foreclose a mortgage given to the company. The money of the Association is to be invested in loans secured by mortgage upon real estate situated in Lincoln county and no loans are to be made outside of the Association. When as much as \$300 is on hand it shall be offered at public auction and the one offering the greatest premium shall have it at 6 per cent. interest provided the Board shall so decide. The profits of the concern shall be ascertained at the end of each half year and the amount credited to each shareholder according to his number of shares. The association will have the right to purchase and hold all real estate and personal property necessary to carry on the objects of its creation. The affairs are to be managed by a Board of Directors to be elected by the stockholders. Such associations are working admirably in all of the cities, especially in Cincinnati, where there are at least 50 of them. For a man desiring to secure a home of his own, there is no way he can do so, so easily and profitably as by uniting with this association.

MARRIAGES.

—Invitations are out for the marriage of Mr. W. P. Bradshaw and Miss Mattie M., the pretty daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Goode, next Thursday, at 8 p. m. On the following night Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carter will give them a reception.

—Mr. W. S. Culbertson, a wealthy but somewhat aged citizen of New Albany, Ind., and Mrs. Keith Young, a fair young widow of Paris Ky., were married Thursday by Rev. Dr. Blanton. The bridal tour embraces a trip around the world.

—The New York banks have a surplus of \$21,000,000. At this time last year the surplus was \$6,500,000.

—A book is shortly to appear in which the author will present the proof that Queen Victoria was secretly married to John Brown shortly after the death of the royal consort.

RELIGIOUS.

—The Presbyterian Mission Board wants \$400,000 raised by May 1, to close the year out of debt.

—Marshall Reid, a young Reform minister of Pulaski county, died last week in Smithton, Mo., of small-pox.

—It is likely that Rev. H. A. Tupper will be called to the pastorate of the Broadway Baptist church, Louisville.

—After a long break in the contributions to the Barnes Tent Fund, the monotony was relieved last week by the reception of \$3 from a lady of Winchester making the amount received to date \$71.

—The great revival in Grace M. E. Church, Newport, closed last week. The conversions and sanctifications number upward of one hundred and sixty. A large proportion of those blessed united with the church.

—The statistics for 1884 give the following general divisions of faith in part of the United States: Roman Catholic, 4,000,000 communicants and 7,421 churches; Methodist, 4,101,081 members, 53,812 churches; Baptist, 3,380,896 members 38,174 churches; Presbyterians, 1,198,650 members, 13,597 churches; Congregationalists, 397,640 members, 4,016 churches.

—Tom Harrison, misnamed the "boy preacher" is getting \$100 a week for preaching 13 weeks in St. Louis. When asked by those who had employed him to make some ten minute speeches in another part of town, he refused unless his wages were increased. Harrison has on several times been shown up as a hypocrite and fraud and it is strange that people will flock to hear maniacal ravings. But all the fools are not dead neither are they shut up in institutions for the feeble minded.

—While in Cincinnati last week we visited the "Beniah Land Faith Rest," which was established some six months ago by Miss Willie J. Lillard, as a rest for those who could trust the Lord to heal their bodily diseases. It is situated on Park avenue in Walnut Hills and is a handsome two-story house, built in the centre of a lawn, studded with shade trees. The rooms, some eight in number, are all neatly furnished and an air of coziness and brightness pervades them. "The Rest" was founded in answer to the prayer and faith of Miss Lillard, who is one of the most charming ladies as well as apparently the most lovely of Christians. With no money of her own, she was enabled, she told us, by "simply trusting" to find men willing to give their money to such an enterprise and the prayer of faith continues to be answered with funds to keep it up. There have been a number of very remarkable cures, we were informed, since its opening and hundreds have embraced the opportunity afforded to learn how to "trust Him" for the restoration of health. Miss Lillard was herself the subject of a remarkable cure at the Pink Cottage and from that hour she determined to devote her life to the service of the Lord. Miss Sallie Harrison, formerly of this place and a niece of Rev. Geo. O. Barnes, presides gracefully as house-keeper at the "Rest" and is thoroughly devoted to the work.

LAND, STOCK AND CROP.

—Eggs are selling at 75 cents in Cincinnati, during the flood.

—Thoroughbred red bull, two-year old, for sale. Apply to W. E. Amon. Im

—A. M. Feland sold to Levi Hubble one last-spring colt by On Time out of Fancy for \$85 and a horse mule colt for \$55.

—R. H. Crow sold to Levi Hubble, two "On Time" colts for \$250. Also a pair of aged mules to Frank Gentry for \$315 and to A. E. Logan a lot of shoats at 4 1/2 cents per hundred.

—The farmers of Michigan are turning their attention to reform of county fairs. They design shearing off the horse racing features and banishing intoxicating drinks beyond their limits.

—The mild moist weather is causing the wheat crop to wear a promising appearance. Grass, too, is responding to the favorable temperature. Those who depended on their cane thickets for winter browsing have been disappointed. The freeze was too severe for this pestiferous indigence.

—A. M. Feland received a draft yesterday from J. A. Lowe, Kansas Centre, Kansas, for \$1,460 for 16 head of thoroughbred bulls, including Bracelet Duke and four cows. Mr. Feland is a fine stock-raiser, thoroughly responsible and handles nothing but the best of stock of all kinds. This sale was made entirely by correspondence and Mr. Feland guarantees satisfaction.

—It is asserted that the peach crop of the coming season will probably prove a good one, about Grand Haven, Mich. That is a noted peach-growing locality, and to a great extent supplies the Chicago market with peaches. Thus far, the lowest point indicated by the mercury this year, was on January 4 and 5, but 4° below 0, when it marked -27° at Chicago, -30° at Milwaukee, and -2° at Atlanta, Georgia.

—Madison county must beat the world in mule raising. We have repeatedly copied this season from the Register reports of large sales of them and now it comes to the front with another batch as follows: Burgess & Gentry, of Lexington, bought of Wm. Arnold 36 broke mules, 15 1/2 hands high, very fat, at \$165 per head. J. B. Day, of Carlisle, bought of Thos. Gibson 20 broke mules at \$110 Howard Bailey, of Georgetown, bought of Million & Deatherage, 10 broke mules at \$140. John W. Fox bought of J. F. Wyatt, 14 broke mules at \$124 Burgess & Gentry bought at J. & J. S. Collins stable on court day, 10 or 15 broke mules at \$110 to \$175 per head. Mr. R. P. Fox left for Atlanta, Ga., last Wednesday with a car load of good mules. The same paper says that the wheat in the county is looking very promising.

NOTES OF CURRENT EVENTS.

—Five firemen were killed and eleven wounded in a fire in Allentown, Pa.

—In an engagement near Sontay the French routed a force of rebels and killed from four to five hundred of them.

—There were 2,200 killed in the rout of Baker Pasha near Tokar. Ninety-six of the killed were officers. Baker Pasha has 3,500 men left one-third of whom are unarmed.

—Chicago is moving for the construction of a hall within the Exposition building of eight thousand seating capacity, in which to hold a grand opera festival in 1885.

—Mrs. Mix, of Steamboat Rock, Iowa, standing over the open grave of her husband said they might as well be buried together and shot herself. It is hardly possible for her to recover.

—Rev. J. W. Asbury, colored, late republican candidate for State Superintendent of Education, has accepted a place as government store-keeper and some of his brethren are displeased.

—Watson, who was convicted in Ohio for "lobbying" the Legislature and sent to the penitentiary for two years, was offered a pardon by Gov. Hoadly if he would leave the State never to return, but he refused, saying he would accept no pardon with a single condition whatever.

We Give the Statement.

FEB 9TH, 1884

MR. W. P. WALTON.  
DEAR SIR:—I see a statement in your paper of last week that was said I run against a Buggy wheel and broke it a purpose. Which is not true there is no reason in it it was done accidental I want you to right it in your next paper Or give this statement yours Jonathan Owsley.

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2d. That any person convicted of a violation of this ordinance shall be fined not less than five dollars nor more than twenty five dollars for each offense.

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## Too Late.

"Is there a letter for me to-day?"

A dark flush overspread the pale forehead and blanched features, a sudden brightness came into the drooping eyes, and they became suffused with tears. What a tremor passed through the wasted form! How the weak voice trembled between hope and despair!

The old postmaster took up a packet of letters and slowly looked them over, as he always did when Alice asked this question. He well knew there was no letter for her, but it was so hard to say the little word that would send her away with an added weight of disappointment.

For six months past she had come day after day, in sunshine or storm, always with the same question on her lips and always receiving the same negative reply.

"Is there a letter for me to-day?"

Poor Alice Werder! When, two years before, Hugo Werder led her to the altar, the people said the young ne'er-do-well was only after her money and when he had secured that he would neglect the sweet, trusting girl and would live merely for his own pleasure.

Hugo Werder was poor—Alice an orphan and comparatively wealthy. Hugo, after their marriage, allowed himself to be drawn into unfortunate speculations and lost everything, but his hopeful little wife only said:

"Never mind, Hugo, be comforted; we will come through all right. Why, you know, we can work." And she kissed him and smiled as happily as she had done a year before, when, with joyful countenance she said: "Hugo, I am yours."

But poverty is bitter and the seductive cry of "gold! gold!" came from the far-off shores of America—from the mines of California, and thither Hugo repaired.

Every one said he would desert his young wife and child. All agreed that whatever he might do he was at heart a villain. Everybody said this and everybody believed it, save Alice. She alone, generous-hearted and trusting, had confidence in her far-off husband.

Alice slowly, despondently turned her back upon the postoffice. But this was nothing new; a hundred times had she turned away from the place with the same expression of deep despair on her pale, sorrowful face. Poor Alice! She was so weak and tired. But what mattered that? Was cared for her?

"Are you writing home?" asked Richard Sommer.

Hugo Werder yawned, wiped his pen and slowly answered "Yes."

"Do you precious little wife, I suppose?"

"Yes."

"How often have you written to that faithful little one since you have here?"

Hugo was startled at this sudden question and as he hung his head, a crimson blush came into his face and he falteringly replied:

"I am ashamed to acknowledge that this is—the first time."

"The first time?" cried his astonished companion. "The first time! This is shameful, inexcusable in you."

"I would not have confessed it to any one but you," answered Werder. "I will tell you how it came to be so. When I first came here I had so much to do and I have such a dislike for letter-writing, so I put it off from day to day, week after week, until I was really ashamed to write without sending something with the letter, for you know she has not always the money to pay the letter and the butcher."

"But did you not at a single stroke make \$2,000?"

"Yes, yes, I know it well. I am a very wealthy man! As you say, I had \$2,000, but in one night it was all gone again. I intended writing Alice the day after my success, but that night I passed a gambling-house. I carried back and entered it. I drank, played, lost and was again beggared. Should I have written her an empty letter then, after having spent six months without having sent her a single letter? So I have waited and waited till now. But when she gets this letter she will be \$100 richer, poor little girl, and then she will forgive me for all my neglect. I know that well, beforehand."

"She should forgive you nothing, Hugo," said his companion.

"Ah, yes; I deserve no forgiveness, but Alice is a dear, loving little darling and so true, so trusting, that I know she will overlook all my shortcomings."

"Mrs. Alice Werder." The postmark was California and the address was in Hugo's well known hand-writing. Was it possible?

The little postmaster read and re-read the superscription. Surely there was no mistake. The letter had come at last.

"Oh, how glad she will be! How her tender eyes will sparkle! It is worth money to be able to give her this letter," said the old postmaster to his wife. "Poor child!"

"Poor child, indeed," repeated the wife as she caught the stitch she had dropped. "I am getting so blind," was her murmured explanation.

But I should not wonder if heartfelt tears had caused the sudden "blindness" of the good, sympathizing old soul.

"I can not imagine why she does not come to-day," remarked the little old man, when the afternoon had slowly passed and evening was setting in.

"Take the letter to her Sophie. Poor thing, perhaps her child is too sick for her to leave it."

"My rheumatism makes it so hard for

me to go out. I will take charge of things here and go you—it is but a few steps to her house."

"Well, then, when I have closed the office, if she does not come before, I will go," was the old man's reply.

"Go rather at once," continued his wife. "The thought of the poor young thing makes me sorrowful. How strange she looked yesterday when she asked if you were sure there was no letter for her and when you asked about her child how very strangely she answered: 'It is not very well to-day, but I guess it will be better to-morrow,' and how sadly she laid her hand upon her heart, as though it hurt her there."

"Yes, yes; poor thing!" was the old man's only reply.

Rap! Rap! Rap!

The wind softly fluttered the dewy leaves of the bushes about the little home; the stars came out in the blue heavens; the moon looked down with a pale, calm and gloomy face upon the little old postmaster, as he stood silently waiting at Alice Werder's door.

Rap! rap! rap! but still no answer came. "Surely she can not yet be sleeping," the old man thought.

But ah! Alice was sleeping. Heaven had called her—those who sleep as she slept never awake again on earth. This life was too hard for her. Ah, Alice, with your dead child on your breast—ah, Alice, could you but have hoped a single day longer!

"A letter for me?" was the question of Hugo Werder.

"A strange hand-writing. Ha! my own letter and two locks of light, silken hair! What does this signify?"

Hugo Werder's face grew deathly white, and his hand trembled as with palsy, as he read this letter, written in the unsteady hand of the old postmaster:

"Inclosed is returned your letter. It came too late—they are both dead. May heaven forgive you; your neglect has killed them. Here is a lock of your wife's hair and one of her child's. They both sleep in one grave. Again, may heaven forgive you. Ah, had your letter come one day sooner, or had Alice hoped for one day more!"

Why he Don't Explain.

Some eight years ago a silvery-tongued chimp who claimed to be a fruit-tree agent swindled the farmers of this county in a shameful manner, and one resident of Nankin was so mad about it that he came to Detroit, searched the rascal out and gave him a pounding on the street. After he got through he told the fellow that he would lick him twice as bad if he ever put eyes on him again, and it was a threat to be remembered and well nursed.

About three weeks ago the Nankin man met a traveler who so closely resembled the fruit-tree swindler that he halted and called out:

"Here you are again, you bold-faced rascal!"

"Yes, I'm here."

"Well, so am I, and I'm going to lick you until you can't hold. I said I'd do it, and I always keep my word. Climb down here!"

The stranger "climb" without a protest, shedding his coat as he struck the ground, and a fight began. In about two minutes he had used up the farmer and was coolly replacing his coat.

"See here," said the man from Nankin as he wiped his nose with a burdock, "you fight better than you did eight years ago."

"Well, I dunno. This is my first affair with you."

"Didn't I wallop you in front of the Detroit postoffice eight years ago?"

"No, sir! I was in Australia up to a year ago, introducing Green's August Flower and Bosc's German Syrup."

"And you never saw me before?"

"Never!"

"And was never in Nankin?"

"Never!"

"Well, I'll be hanged! Come to look at you I can see that you are not the man! Why on earth didn't you explain, or ask me to? You must have thought me mistaken."

"Ah, yes, I knew you were mistaken, but I had just discovered that I had driven seven miles on the wrong road and was wishing some one would come along and give me two words of sense. I didn't want any explanation about it. A rotten sweet apple will cure that black eye in three or four days, and salt and water will tighten your front teeth in a week or so. I feel fifty per cent better, and I'm ever so much obliged. So long!"—[Press.]

OVERDOING THE CLERICAL.—When the Rock River conference met here there was one of its members who listened to the reading of a memorial on his dead wife while he had a marriage license for No. 2 in his pocket. I think his name is—well, no matter what his name is. Like many of his profession, he is too clerical altogether in some of his utterances. The other day he was called to preach a funeral sermon on one of his members. He was awfully solemn, and talked in this way: "The last time I saw the corpse was at her mother's home. I asked for her, and she came into the room well and to all appearance cheerful. A few days after the corpse came to the city to have a set of teeth made. While here she took cold, and now lies before us dead." One of the mourners on the occasion assured me that he would have given all he ever expects to have if he could have thrown up his job as pall-bearer at that minute.—[Chicago Herald-Messenger.]

The papers are telling of an Ohio man who set three different dates for his marriage, but finally succeeded in making his escape. He probably had assistance from the outside.—[Bismarck Tribune.]

## A Horrible Monstrosity.

Some weeks ago the Register contained a news item to the effect that Mr. Miles Crawford, of Breathitt county, found on his door-step one morning an infant, half human and half dog. Last Monday a messenger from Mr. Crawford came into our office to inform us that the item was partially incorrect. A horrible monstrosity—a mixture of hog and human—was found in Mr. Crawford's corn field one cold morning in last January frozen stiff. It was in a little brown sack together with some corn. Some farm-hands came close to the sack and it was accidentally knocked over, when the hideous lump of deformity rolled out. It had three legs, with split hoofs. Its head was of human formation well covered with hair. The mouth was large; the upper lip was hard and grietly, like a hog's "rooster." The nose and eyes were considerably more human than hog. The body resembled the human body and was perfectly smooth. There was no hair on any part of it except the head. The discovery of it was a terrible shock to the good people of that neighborhood who keep the even tenor of their way and are not accustomed to dark and mysterious crimes in their midst. A woman whose reputation for chastity is not the best in the world, came to Mr. Crawford the day before the discovery to beg some corn. Mr. Crawford went into his field and husked some corn which the women took and put in a little brown sack. She complained of being sick and stopped a while in the house to warm. She left and went across the field in the direction of her home. Mr. Crawford identified the sack found by the farm-hands as the same carried by the woman, and suspicion at once fastened upon her. She has been driven from the community by the outraged and justly indignant citizens, but the mystery will ever remain unsolved.—[Richmond Register.]

## Common Mistakes.

It is a mistake to suppose that all newspaper men are rich.

It is a mistake to fail to go out just at the right moment when playing croquet.

It is a mistake to come down to a boarding house breakfast half an hour late.

Marriage is a mistake and not infrequently the biggest kind of a mistake.

It is a mistake to ask a butcher if his meat is tender and expect him to say "no," when it isn't.

It is a mistake to take amuse any good natured raillery which a wise takes a notion to indulge in.

It is a mistake to buy copper-toed shoes for healthy children. Copper is too soft a metal for such purposes.

The assumption that a woman is just as old as she looks is a mistake. Some frisky maidens of 41 summers look fully 42.

It is a mistake to fancy that an interview with an editor will be any more productive of results than a correspondence through the mails.

It is a mistake to forget to return the lawn-mower you borrowed in the summer in time to have enough credit left to borrow a snow shovel.

Thin, Wiry Men the Bravest.

History no doubt gives color to the idea that fat men are not; as a rule, brave, Falstaff was a fat man, he was a conspicuous coward. Major Monsoon, was likewise corpulent; his gallantry lay in the direction of chickens. There have been brave fat men of course; witness Pickwick—as courageous a gentleman as ever faced a widow. The heroes of the world have, however, undoubtedly been wiry men, not necessarily scarecrows, but men without an unusual or unwieldy proportion of adipose tissue. Had the living skeleton, now being sued by his recently (made bride) been a fat man he would undoubtedly have wilted, and permitted himself perhaps to be carried off in a clothes basket. Being a skeleton he is a man of valor, and no bride of a day shall trifle with his affections. Anatomically speaking, the skeleton man is all grit. He proposes to fight it out to the bitter end, if he has to pawn his bones to pay counsel fees.

Mr. Peet, a rather diffident man, was unable to prevent himself from being introduced one evening to a fascinating young lady, who, misunderstanding his name, constantly addressed him as Mr. Peters, much to the gentleman's distress. Finally summoning courage, he bashfully, but earnestly remonstrated: "Oh! don't call me Peter; call me Peet." "Oh, but I don't know you well enough, Mr. Peters," said the young lady, blushing, as she playfully withdrew behind her fan.

The Lexington Transcript and several others of our contemporaries are wrong in putting all the blame upon the jurors. While many of their verdicts in murder cases are too light, the chief blame rests with the Court of Appeals; with its reversals of verdicts and grantings of new trials. The remedy is to repeal the law giving juries the option between hanging and imprisonment for murder, and to relieve the appellate court of jurisdiction in criminal cases.—[Breckenridge News.]

A very estimable Chicago lady has a family of fifty-three dogs, which eat up each day ten gallons of milk, twenty pounds of oatmeal and great quantities of oysters and eggs. It would be cruelty to ask this kind lady to take upon herself the support of a child.

GOOD MONTH FOR HANGINGS.—This month, February—though the shortest month in the year, is remarkable for its Fridays. It came in on Friday, will go out on Friday, and has three Fridays sandwiched between.—[Richmond Register.]

Barry Wall, the king of the New York duds, changes his clothes five times a day, has canes and dogs to match each suit, and wears stockings with five toes in them

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TIME TABLE IN EFFECT NOVEMBER 18, 1883

Time herein is 20 minutes slower than time heretofore given.

SOUTH. No. 1. No. 4. No. 18.

Lvs. Lexington 7:41 a.m. 2:43 p.m.

" " " 9:13 a.m. 4:15 p.m.

" " " 10:35 a.m. 5:37 p.m.

Arr. Lexington 11:43 p.m. 6:50 p.m.

Lvs. Lexington 11:43 p.m. 6:50 p.m.

" " " 11:05 a.m. 6:00 p.m.

" " " 12:25 p.m. 7:40 p.m.

" " " 1:45 p.m. 8:50 p.m.

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